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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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In the Matter of)

National Cotton Council Committee for the)
Advancement of Cotton and William R. Tracy,)
as treasurer)

MUR 4997

SENSITIVE

GENERAL COUNSEL'S REPORT #2

I. ACTIONS RECOMMENDED

Accept the attached, signed counterproposed conciliation agreement with the National Cotton Council Committee for the Advancement of Cotton and William R. Tracy, as treasurer, and close the file in this matter.

II. BACKGROUND

On April 6, 2000, the Commission found reason to believe that the National Cotton Council Committee for the Advancement of Cotton and William R. Tracy, as treasurer ("Respondents" or "Committee"), violated 2 U.S.C. § 434 (a)(4)(A)(i) by failing to timely file their 1998 July Quarterly Report. The Commission also determined to enter into pre-probable cause conciliation and approved a conciliation agreement

III. DISCUSSION

A check for the civil penalty has not been received.

Based on the foregoing, this Office recommends that the Commission accept the attached agreement with National Cotton Council Committee for the Advancement of Cotton and William R. Tracy, as treasurer, and close the file in this matter.

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IV. RECOMMENDATIONS


1. Accept the attached counterproposed conciliation agreement with the National Cotton Council Committee for the Advancement of Cotton and William R. Tracy, as treasurer.
2. Close the file.
3. Approve the appropriate letter.

Lawrence M. Noble
General Counsel

20.04.401.3936
Date

6/14/00

BY:


Lois G. Lerner
Associate General Counsel

Attachments

1. Response received May 16, 2000
2. Counterproposed Conciliation Agreement

Staff Assigned: Karen White
Tony Buckley




FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20463

MEMORANDUM

TO: Office of the Commission Secretary

FROM: Office of General Counsel 

DATE: June 14, 2000

SUBJECT: MUR 4997- General Counsel's Report #2

The attached is submitted as an Agenda document for the Commission Meeting of _____

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